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Nebraska that probably are not too hep on complying with this law, along with some others. So I guess I just see it as an unnecessary regulation on the small businesses that really don't see a need to post at this time.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Wehrbein is announcing that he has guests in the north balcony. We have 15 members from District 2 school of Nebraska City, with their teacher. Would you folks please stand. Thank you. We're glad to have you with us. Also, Senator Ashford is announcing that his brother, County Judge Mark Ashford, is with us under the south balcony. Judge Ashford, would you please stand. Thank you. We're glad to have you with us. And while the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and I do sign LB 284, LB 284A, LB 214 and LB 214A, LB 443, LB 499, LB 318 and LB 320. Additional discussion on the advancement of the bill, Senator Ashford, followed by Senators Wehrbein and Coordsen.

SENATOR ASHFORD: Mr. Speaker and members, I appreciate the introduction of my brother, before I have an opportunity to speak so I can just prove to you that there was a relatively successful member of my family that...other than...anyway, Senator WeiHING, could I ask you a couple of questions?

SPEAKER BARRETT: Would you respond, Senator WeiHING.

SENATOR WEIHING: Certainly, most happy to do so.

SENATOR ASHFORD: I've had some concerns raised by individuals in my district, Senator, about the effect of this legislation. One of the concerns that was raised by a couple of older local restaurants, specifically I think Johnny's was one and there are some others, that the information that is being required to be posted would, in effect, be a...could infringe on a trade secret or a secret recipe that the particular restaurant had developed. Have you heard anything about that, or...

SENATOR WEIHING: Not specifically and it should not. It is not to divulge any recipes whatsoever. It is simply to make it known as to the kind of oils that they are utilizing in their cooking process. Much of the cooking is that of the preparation of meats and vegetables and on occasion they do have those with their recipes, so just stating as to the kind of oils that they use within their general food preparation, it would not have